

FCC Commissioners  
The Federal Communications Commission RE: Docket 04-435  
445 12th Street, SW  
Washington, DC 20554

Dear FCC Commissioners ,

I fly at least 75,000 miles a year and do use my cell phone -- but only when inside the terminal. I am writing to voice my concerns about the FCC's proposal to relax the restrictions on the use of cell phones on airplanes in flight. Aside from the potential safety issues, allowing cell phone usage in flight would further add to the noise pollution from the myriad of electronic devices already approved for use. There is no hard evidence that cell phone use doesn't interfere with navigational instruments. The introduction of cell phone use in the cabin will not only increase tension among passengers, it will compromise flight attendants' ability to maintain order in an emergency. Cell phone use could also enable terrorists to coordinate a plan of action more effectively.

Please leave the current rules in effect.

Sincerely,

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cc:  
Senator Robert Byrd  
Senator John Rockefeller  
Representative Shelley Capito